

(Alex) Flores for receiving the Arvada Wheat Ridge Service Ambassadors for Youth award.

Alexandria (Alex) Flores is a student at Standley Lake H.S. and received this award because her determination and hard work have allowed her to overcome adversities.

The dedication demonstrated by Alexandria (Alex) Flores is exemplary of the type of achievement that can be attained with hard work and perseverance. It is essential students at all levels strive to make the most of their education and develop a work ethic which will guide them for the rest of their lives.

I extend my deepest congratulations to Alexandria (Alex) Flores for winning the Arvada Wheat Ridge Service Ambassador for Youth award. I have no doubt she will exhibit the same dedication and character in all of her future accomplishments.

IN RECOGNITION OF KATHY
GOERINGER ON HER INDUCTION
INTO THE LUZERNE COUNTY
SPORTS HALL OF FAME

HON. MATT CARTWRIGHT

OF PENNSYLVANIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Thursday, April 1, 2021

Mr. CARTWRIGHT. Madam Speaker, I rise today to honor former athlete, coach, official, and northeastern Pennsylvania native Kathy Goeringer. Kathy was inducted into the Luzerne County Sports Hall of Fame in 2020 for her distinct athletic achievements in the sports of basketball, volleyball, softball, track and field, and golf. She and her fellow inductees will be honored at a reception this spring.

Each year, the Luzerne County Sports Hall of Fame honors those who have brought fame and recognition to the State of Pennsylvania through their outstanding achievements and contributions in athletic endeavors.

Kathy is the daughter of Raymond and Nancy Goeringer. As a student athlete at Tunkhannock High School, she was a varsity starter on the school's championship basketball and volleyball teams. She set scoring records of 39 points and 26 rebounds for single game performances, and she was named to the Susquehanna League Basketball Coaches All-Star Team 2 years in a row. In 1974, she helped start the school's track and field team which went undefeated three seasons in a row and won three district team and individual titles. In shot put, Kathy set a school record and competed in local, State, and regional Amateur Athletic Union (AAU) competitions, winning five gold medals at the local and State levels.

After graduating high school in 1976, Kathy continued her athletic career on the basketball team at Slippery Rock State College in Slippery Rock, Pennsylvania. She left the team after 2 years to become the first female sports editor of the student newspaper, *The Rocket*. She also began her coaching career while an undergraduate, coaching the East Lawrence girls' softball team to a league championship. She would later coach the Luzerne County Community College softball team.

Following the end of her playing career, Kathy began officiating basketball at the high school and Division II and III collegiate levels. Over the next 40 years, she amassed an impressive resume, officiating for regular season

games in addition to league playoffs, district championships, the PIAA Girls State Championships, and NCAA Division III playoff games. Kathy's fair and competent officiating skills earned her the title of chapter interpreter, a position she held for nearly 30 years. She conducted rules meets, answered rules questions from coaches and fellow officials, and taught proper officiating techniques. Kathy has also been a long-time boys and girls volleyball official.

In 1980, Kathy took up golf and found great success locally, regionally, and nationally. She founded the Shadowbrook Women's Gold League and hosted the Shadowbrook Women's Invitational. She is a longtime member of the United States Golf Association, and she is a longtime champion of girls' and women's golf.

It is an honor to recognize Kathy on her induction into the Luzerne County Sports Hall of Fame. May her story and athletic career serve as an inspiration to the next generation of Pennsylvania athletes striving for excellence.

RECOGNIZING LEAH SHACKLEY

HON. JOHN JOYCE

OF PENNSYLVANIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Thursday, April 1, 2021

Mr. JOYCE of Pennsylvania. Madam Speaker, I rise today to congratulate Leah Shackley, a freshman at Bedford High School, on earning two medals at the 2021 PIAA Class 2A Swimming Championship.

Leah won a silver medal in the girls 100-yard Backstroke with a time of 55.65 seconds. She also collected a sixth-place finish in the girls 100-yard Freestyle with a time of 52.79 seconds. Leading up to the state championship, Leah collected first place finishes in both events at the District 6 Championship. She is a member of the Blair Regional YMCA Tigersharks Swim Team. In addition to these two state medals, she has won four medals in the Western Pennsylvania District Championships and a USA Eastern Zones championship award.

On behalf of the 13th District of Pennsylvania, I congratulate Leah Shackley on a successful season and wish her every continued success.

INFANT FORMULA PROTECTION
ACT OF 2021

HON. GRACE MENG

OF NEW YORK

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Thursday, April 1, 2021

Ms. MENG. Madam Speaker, I rise today to announce the reintroduction of my Infant Formula Protection Act of 2021. The measure would prevent pharmacies, supermarkets, convenience stores, and other establishments from selling expired baby formula and would consider the sale of baby formula after the product's "use by" date to be a prohibited act. A retailer that commits such an act can incur fines and penalties.

The practice of selling expired baby formula is not only legal but widespread. As a mom, I know the fear and pressure that comes with

caring for a newborn; all a new parent wants is to make sure their baby is healthy. Busy parents need to be able to rely on the safety of products, like formula, that they buy in grocery stores in order to make sure that their newborns are well-fed and healthy. Retailers that stock expired formula—even by just a few days—pose real health risks to infants.

Madam Speaker, we cannot take chances with what we feed our babies, and parents must be able to trust the safety of the products that they buy in their stores. I urge all of my colleagues to support the Infant Formula Protection Act.

HONORING GERALDINE O'MARA ON
HER 95TH BIRTHDAY

HON. JACKIE WALORSKI

OF INDIANA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Thursday, April 1, 2021

Mrs. WALORSKI. Madam Speaker, I rise today to recognize Geraldine O'Mara who will celebrate the milestone of her 95th birthday on April 4, 2021.

A New Yorker through and through, Geraldine was born in Queens and grew up in Sag Harbor and Steward Manor. One of 12 brothers and sisters, Geraldine has always held family as a guiding light and source of strength. Geraldine was married to the late Thomas J. O'Mara, a World War II veteran, and together they had three children, Sharon, James, and Michael. She has dedicated her life to being a role model for her children and giving them every opportunity to learn, grow, and find the path to success.

Coming from a large family, one of Geraldine's greatest blessings in life is spending time with her seven grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren. To this day, she enjoys reading scripture and tending to her garden, and is known for giving back to those in need and lifting others up with her strength.

Madam Speaker, people like Geraldine make our country a better place, and I ask my colleagues to join me in wishing her good health and many more birthdays.

SPECIAL RECOGNITION OF WYATT
MILLER FOR WINNING THE DIVI-
SION III WRESTLING STATE
CHAMPIONSHIP

HON. ROBERT E. LATTA

OF OHIO

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Thursday, April 1, 2021

Mr. LATTA. Madam Speaker, it is with a great deal of pride that I rise to pay a very special tribute to an outstanding high school wrestler in Ohio's Fifth Congressional District. Wyatt Miller of Oak Harbor High School has represented his school ably on his way to achieving the Division III State wrestling title. Wyatt overcame the challenges posed by intense competition in his effort to win the Division III State Wrestling Championship.

In pursuing the State championship, Wyatt Miller defeated his opponent in the finals of the 195-pound classification. His hard work and dedication, both on and off the mat, in